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HITCHCOCK DEPARTS.

Republican Committee Head Is No Longer at Hot Springs.

Hot Springs, Va., July 11.—The
many conferences that have been held
by W. H. Taft concerning plans for
the campaign during the past week
have prevented him from devoting as
much attention to his correspondence
as is necessary to keep pace with the
flood of letters that are coming to
him. Frank H. Hitchcock, chair-



FRANK H. HITCHCOCK.

man of the Republican national com-
mittee, Postmaster General Meyer and
William Nelson Cromwell left Satur-
day evening.

Saturday Elmer Dover, secretary of
the national Republican committee,
arrived on an early train and was the
first caller Mr. Taft saw in his office.

McCarren May Lose Control.

New York, July 11.—Justice Kelly in
Brooklyn has rendered a decision
which it is believed will put Senator
McCarren, who lost out in the Denver
convention, out of political control.
Justice Kelly declined to recognize
McCarren's application for mandamus
to approve his selection of campaign
election inspectors appointed by the
Williams-Delaney faction. McCarren's
opponents were recognized. The un-
written rule of politics is that the se-
lection of a faction's primary inspec-
tors is equivalent to that faction's con-
trol. The decision is regarded as an
indication that the Tammany tiger
has at last "crossed the bridge" and
Boss Murphy's control of Brooklyn is
assured.

Dozen Checks Received.

Hot Springs, Va., July 11.—"I have
received a dozen checks since I have
been at Hot Springs from people who
wished to make the first contribution to
the Republican party for the cam-
paign," said George R. Sheldon of
New York, treasurer of the national
Republican committee. Asked when
he would open an office for campaign
funds, Mr. Sheldon replied he would
do so in New York at once.

Mr. Sheldon declared in an inter-
view he is convinced the American
people will never accept the radicalism
of the Democratic convention.

Reception to Kern.

Indianapolis, July 11.—Telegrams re-
ceived here from John D. Kern, Dem-
ocratic candidate for vice-president,
announced he would remain at Den-
ver until Monday, when he would go
to Lincoln with members of the na-
tional Democratic committee and call
upon Mr. Bryan. Mr. Kern will reach
Chicago Wednesday and return to In-
dianapolis Thursday. Arrangements
are being made for his reception here.

No Support From Hearst.

New York, July 11.—That W. J.
Bryan will not have the support of
W. R. Hearst was indicated Saturday
by the attitude of Mr. Hearst's two
New York newspapers—the American
and Evening Journal. These two
papers announce the loss of confi-
dence on the part of both in the Dem-
ocratic party and in Mr. Bryan.

Willing Listener.

Lincoln, Neb., July 11.—W. J. Bryan
was a willing listener to tales of the
Denver convention Saturday, members
of the Lincoln Bryan club, returned
from the Colorado capital, telling
them.

Mr. Bryan, who had been under a
heavy strain for a fortnight, enjoyed
a full night's rest Friday night and
arose greatly refreshed.

Thought Fairbanks Will Reciprocate.

Indianapolis, July 11.—When four
years ago Senator Fairbanks was ten-
dered a reception here after being
nominated for vice president Mr. Kern
took an active part. It is thought the
vice president will reciprocate at the
Kern reception Thursday. Mayor
Bookwalter and other leading Republi-
cans will take part. Citizens generally
will assist.

Nook's Prediction.

Chicago, July 11.—Secretary Nook
of the Illinois Federation of Labor
says the national Democratic ticket
will get the united support of the
Illinois organization, which claims to
have 200,000 voters. He declares the
labor plank is satisfactory in every
respect.

OIL LAKE ON FIRE.

Mammoth Amount of Fluid at Mercy of Flames.

City of Mexico, July 11.—A lake of
oil covering an area of more than one
square mile and of unknown depth in
the state of Vera Cruz is on fire. It
has been burning for five days and
has created the wildest terror among
the natives of that section. The blaze
is seen for more than 200 miles at sea,
according to navigators who have
arrived at Vera Cruz and Tampico.
The scene of the fire is about 75
miles southeast of Tampico, near the
San Geronimo river. It is remote from
a railroad. An oil field was being
developed at that place by the Penn-
sylvania Oil company, which is com-
posed of Pittsburgh men. The com-
pany had bored a number of wells
and all of them were flowing oil in
large quantities. The product was
being placed in earthen storage tanks
preparatory to shipping.

A careless woman accidentally set
fire to one of the wells and the flames
were communicated to the under-
ground reservoir of oil. A terrific
explosion occurred which uplifted the
earth surface throughout the whole
field. The explosion was heard 75
miles distant. The oil company lost
\$200,000 worth of machinery and the
oil which has been burned will total
millions of barrels. The oil field will
be destroyed.

STOP TO SPOONING.

Lovemaking in Hospital Shadows Is
Deemed a Nuisance.

New York, July 11.—Dr. John Fish-
er, superintendent of the Presbyterian
hospital, has sought the aid of the po-
lice to try to put a stop to spooning
near the hospital. Superintendent
Fisher says the lovemaking in the
shadows of the hospital is a positive
disturbance, and that Cupid is on the
job every night from 12 o'clock until
about 2 in the morning.

"After they were driven out of Cen-
tral park," he says, "young folks from
the East Side flock to the hospital and
take possession of all the dark spots
around the institution. There are al-
ways from two to three couples on the
stoops. There is a shriek once in a
while that awakens patients.

"Now, I'm not opposed to Cupid in
any way, but I don't think he has any
right to be doing business around a
hospital."

Police Captain Cooney was of the
same opinion, and he has promised Dr.
Fisher that the spooners would be kept
away in the future.

Mullins Re-Elected.

Cleveland, July 11.—Reverend E. Y.
Mullins, D. D., of Louisville, Ky., was
re-elected president of the Baptist
Young People's union. Other officers
elected were: Vice presidents, Rev.
George W. Truett, Dallas, Tex.; Rev.
W. J. Williamson, St. Louis, and
Charles Senior, Toronto, Ont.; record-
ing secretary, H. W. Reed, Rock Island,
Ill.; treasurer, K. B. Osgood, Chicago.
The new executive committee will
consist of sixteen men besides the of-
ficials.

Hon. Joshua Levering of Baltimore
spoke on laymen's missionary move-
ment. Mr. Levering was the prohibi-
tion candidate for president in 1906.

South Carolina Launched.

Philadelphia, July 11.—The battle-
ship South Carolina, which was
launched at the Cramps shipyards
here Saturday, is one of two "all big
gun" battleships authorized by con-
gress, the other being the Michigan,
recently launched at Camden, N. J.
The new vessel was christened by
Miss Frederica Calvert Ansel, daugh-
ter of the governor of South Carolina.
Governor Ansel and staff, about a
score of other South Carolinians and a
large number of other persons wit-
nessed the plunge of the new sea
fighter.

Bill of Lading Approved.

Washington, July 11.—The uniform
bill of lading, designed as substitute
for bills now in use for the movement
of miscellaneous freight and general
merchandise, was approved and its
adoption recommended to the common
carriers of the country and shipping
public by the interstate commerce
commission. It provides two forms,
printed on the face side in different
colors, one for straight and one for
"order" consignments. "The 'order'
bill possesses a certain negotiability,
while the straight bill is non-negotia-
ble.

Printing Bids Asked.

Austin, July 11.—The state printing
board has advertised for open bids
earlier than usual this year, in order
to complete all contracts before Nov.
1, the date of the expiration of exist-
ing contracts. The board will adver-
tise for bids to do all the state print-
ing, supply white paper and furnish
stationery of all kinds to the various
departments and institutions, all of
which represent a handsome outlay.
The bids will be opened Sept. 8.

Louisiana Legislature Adjourns.

Baton Rouge, July 11.—The Louisi-
ana general assembly adjourned after
a sixty days' session in which, on the
average, five new laws were passed
a day.

Another Heat Wave.

Chicago, July 11.—Chicago was
visited Saturday by another terrible
heat wave. Up to noon there had been
two deaths and thirty prostrations.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices indicated subject to the Democratic Primaries July 25, 1908:

For Congress Sixth District:
RUFUS HARDY (Re-election).

For State Senator—12th District:
A. J. HARPER.
W. R. BOYD.

For Representative—55th District:
W. C. DAVIS (re-election).

For District Attorney—20th District:
J. FELTON LANE.

For County Judge:
A. G. BOARD. (re-election)

For Sheriff:
J. D. CONLEE.
GEO. R. WICKER.

For District Clerk:
H. O. JONES.
J. C. BENNETT
J. H. SUBER
A. A. DEAN

For County Attorney:
LAMAR BATHEA. (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
T. W. PARKER. (Re-election)

For Tax Collector:
W. WIPPRECHT (re-election)
J. W. BARRON.

For Tax Assessor:
J. H. MCCOLLOUGH (re-election)

For County Treasurer:
JNO. M. LAWRENCE (re-election).

For County Clerk:
S. W. BUCHANAN.
W. C. BOYETT

For County Commissioner Prec. No. 4:
HENRY BERGER.
J. B. PRIDDY.
O. L. WILCOX.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 5:
J. C. BLUME (re-election)
ARCHIE L. SMITH.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2:
W. L. EDGE.

For Constable Precinct No. 1:
CHAS. H. VANCE, JR.

For Justice off Peace Prec. No. 4:
L. D. MCGEE (Re-election)
W. GILLIE MITCHELL.

For Constable Precinct No. 4:
C. L. BAKER (re-election).

BRYAN, TEXAS, JULY 12, 1908.

The Denver convention gave Hero Hobson a hint that he was there to be seen and not heard.

THE KOPPE BRIDGE.

Main Span Will Be Complete in a Few Days—Jones Bridge to Be Re-paired—Progress of Road Work—Crops, Etc.

By the courtesy of County Judge A. G. Board and Commissioner P. H. Arrington, Mr. H. O. Smith, representing the Pilot, and a representative of the Eagle, went down to inspect the work on the new bridge in process of construction between the Koppe plantation and Wellborn. The start was made at 5:15 a. m. and a brisk drive brought the party to the camp of the road graders, near Providence church, where Mr. Bob McMahon, the superintendent, had a good warm breakfast awaiting, for which the fresh morning air had given each of the party a good appetite.

The location of the camp was selected because of its convenience to construction work on the Jones bridge, the Providence and the Koppe bridge roads. Mr. McMahon's force is now on the Jones bridge road, which he is grading and ditching in the best approved style. The most necessary work on each of the other roads has been done, and Mr. McMahon will continue the construction until all three are put in the best possible condition.

The late flood did considerable damage to the Jones bridge. An immense pile of drift lodged against the twin concrete piers at the west end of the main span, and the weight of the tide pressing against this pushed them out of line until, like the celebrated tower of Pisa, they lean at an angle of several degrees from the perpendicular, their tops being two and one-half or three feet out of line. An effort will be made to restore them to their proper position, but it is not certain that this can be done. The approach to the bridge on the west side was carried away bodily. A trestle of false work, made almost entirely of rough timber from the forest, was hastily constructed as soon as the water went down. It is a flimsy affair and looks to be hardly safe for heavy loads. As soon as practicable, it will be replaced with a substantial permanent structure.

From the Jones bridge, the road through the plantations of the Fountain brothers, Jas. O. Chance, and Koppe & Robertson, parallels the river at no great distance. At a distance of several miles a part of the trestle of the new bridge, surrounded and surmounted by "the traveler," could be seen looming up high. On arrival it was found that the middle section of the long span of 280 feet was nearly complete. In a short time the last bolt was driven, the last tap was tightened and the traveler was rolled eastward to begin another section. The inspectors saw the heavy steel uprights and girders and the lighter struts and laterals loaded on the trucks, drawn over the track resting on the false trestle work and hoisted into their several places by the power of a stationary steam engine operating through a complicated system of cables and pulleys. Everything moves with the precision of clock work and the work is progressing rapidly. It is expected that the main span will be completed Monday.

The work on this bridge has been much retarded by the floods which have twice washed out the false work, in the first instance carrying away all the timbers.

One notable feature of this bridge is the steel web between each pair of piers, by which they are mutually strengthened, and the accumulation of drift between them will be prevented.

One effect of the late flood was the sinking and sliding of a large section of the eastern bank, splitting the concrete abutment with a large crack. Before this occurred, the trestle of the eastern approach had been erected, but it had to be taken down and a new abutment will be built further back from the bank. Midway between this and the twin piers at the east end of the main span a substantial pair of concrete piers will be erected, dividing the eastern approach into two sections. The bridge will thus be made secure, even though the entire loosened section of the bank should slide into the river.

When completed, the Koppe bridge will be a grand viaduct and will do much to promote the development of the adjacent portions of Brazos and Burleson counties.

The Eagle man took advantage of the opportunity to observe the growing crops. On the uplands the corn is made and it is evidently one of the best in the history of Brazos county. Upland cotton looks all right, but there is no telling what the boll weevil may do to it. In the bottom the crops are less promising. Indications at present do not point to more than half a crop of either corn or cotton.

The return drive brought to our attention strongly the contrast between the well kept roads in Brazos county and those of Burleson county, which seem to keep themselves, insofar as any keeping is done.

NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Washington, D. C., July 11.—There promises to be no dearth of big news events the coming week, either in the home or foreign fields. The Olympic games abroad will attract great attention on this side of the water, while at home there will be a multitude of big conventions and other events to interest public attention.

Tomorrow's presidential election in the Republic of Panama promises to result in the choice of Senor Obaldia, the candidate of the independent party. A large force of United States marines has been distributed over the little republic to prevent threatened disorders at the polls.

King Edward will formally open the great Olympic stadium in Shepherd's Bush Monday. The games will begin next day, and from then until July the greatest aggregation of athletes the world has ever seen will struggle for the mastery.

During the week the officers and men of the American battleship fleet will be entertained on a magnificent scale at Honolulu.

Commissioners representing the United States and France will meet in Paris to discuss the proposed new commercial arrangement between the two countries.

Canada will be interested in the completion of the preparations for the Quebec Tercentenary celebration and the departure from England of the notables who are coming to take part in the program of festivities.

The week promises to be one of comparative inactivity for the presidential candidates of the two leading parties, though conferences will be numerous and the plans for the real work of the campaign will be put in shape.

At Columbus, Ohio, the Prohibitionists will meet in national convention Wednesday to adopt a platform and name candidates for president and vice president. A number of names have been suggested for the head of the ticket and the ultimate selection is problematical.

Two big reunions, one North and one South, will attract attention during the week. In St. Paul the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine will hold forth, while at Dallas thousands of members of the order of Elks will gather for their annual national convention. Another gathering of interest, though of smaller proportions, will be the annual session of the Jewish Chautauqua Assembly at Buffalo.

REVOLUTION IS PLAYING OUT.

San Antonio Has Been Favorite Resort of Turbulent Spirits for Some Time.

San Antonio, Tex., July 11.—Lurid stories about the revolution in Mexico have furnished a great deal of amusement for the people in San Antonio and the border country. As a matter of fact, this revolutionary movement has been brewing for three or four years, one hotbed of it being in this city, where several arrests have been made and trials held. The revolution is, however, confined to a few discontented people, and is not regarded seriously by those who are in a position to know the facts. The revolutionists proper have naturally attracted to their standard the bandits who more or less always infest the mountains in Northern Mexico and are ever ready to join in any undertaking that promises a chance to loot; stripped of this lawless element, the revolution proper is insignificant. The Mexican government seems thoroughly aroused to a necessity of hunting these brigands out of their hiding places, and if any of them drift across the Rio Grande, they are likely to have a warm reception at the hands of the United States cavalry that is waiting there to receive them. It is likely that the rest of the revolution will be a mere gathering in of highway robbers who will be dealt very summary justice when caught.

BASKET DINNER AT ALEXANDER.

There will be a basket dinner at Alexander on Tuesday, July 14th. Everybody is cordially invited, especially candidates.

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Will Take the Stump.

Denver, July 11.—Hon. John W. Kern says he is especially proud to be associated with Mr. Bryan. He says he will take the stump and do his best to elect the ticket.

Prelate Passes Away.

Baltimore, July 11.—Rt. Rev. Alfred Curtis, formerly Roman Catholic bishop of Wilmington, Del., and for a number of years vicar general of Baltimore, died at St. Agnes' sanitarium here Saturday.

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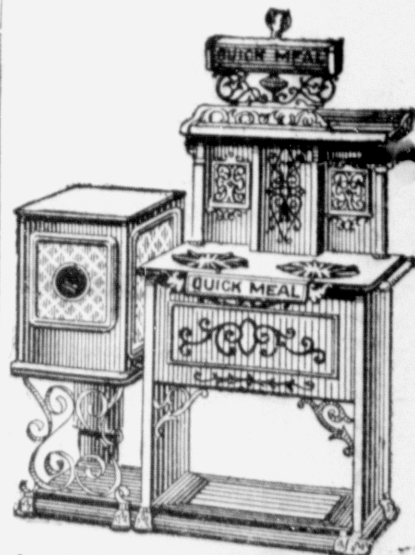
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No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p.m.
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a.m.
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p.m.
No. 9 South bound.....2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. Schedule.
No. 102 North bound.....12:54 p.m.
No. 101 South bound.....4:14 p.m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Eat at Buchanan's dtt.
Hear Dr. Moore.
John Pate of Harvey was in the city
yesterday.
J. D. Jones of Harvey was in town
yesterday.
T.W. Frame of Edge was in the city
yesterday.
Ed Carl of Wellborn was in the
city yesterday.
H. P. Dansby of Steep Hollow was
in the city yesterday.
V. E. Gandy of Rock Prairie was
in the city yesterday.
A. A. Farley has returned from an
extended business trip.
Joe Walter departed yesterday for
a short stay in Marlin.
Miss Alberta Adams is enjoying a
few days' visit in Dallas.
Buy a hammock now at 33 1-3 per
cent discount. E. J. Jenkins. d2t
Col. W. T. Jones was among the
visitors to the city yesterday.
Mrs. J. J. Gillum left yesterday for
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returned from Calvert yesterday.
Think of it, 33 1-3 per cent off on
hammocks. E. J. Jenkins. d2t
A. B. McSwain and daughter, Miss
Grace, were in the city yesterday.
Call for a McKinley music cata-
logue at Cavitt's Drug Store. 192
P. L. Barron and E. Gandy of Rock
Prairie were in the city yesterday.
You will be entertained at least if
you hear Dr. Moore Monday night.
Wanted—Second hand office desk,
if at a bargain. Address box 246 3t

LADIES' WAISTS.

Net, Silk and Lawn1-3 off
d2t WEBB BROS.

Mrs. Alice Cole and daughter, Miss
Myrtle, of Coleman, were in town yester-
day.
Thirty-three and one-third per cent
discount on hammocks. E. J. Jen-
kins. d2t
Mrs. J. T. Hanway and children left
yesterday on a visit to Dallas and
Denton.
One thousand copies sheet music
10 cents each at Cavitt's Drug
Store. 192
J. A. Lomax and wife of College
were visitors in the city yesterday af-
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Mrs. Jonnie Koppe of Kurten has
as her guest Mrs. William Battler of
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is critically ill.
Read our ad. in regular space on
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Howell & Newton.
For Sale—High grade Jersey cow,
fresh in milk and good milker. Ap-
ply to McP. Beard. 187
J. S. Henry and daughter, Miss
Kate, and Mrs. Lefevre were visitors
to the city yesterday.
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her son, Walter, departed yesterday
on a visit to Houston.
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tives at Kurten, returned to her home
in Wellborne yesterday.
Mrs. W. F. Miller concluded a pleas-
ant visit to relatives at Mexia and
returned home yesterday.
Marriage licenses have been issued
to Ebb Sharp and Esther Arrand, Lem
Turner and Winnie Wyatt.
Whatever your own views on the
question may be, hear Dr. Moore at
the court house Monday night.
Boards Wanted—\$3.50 per week.
Convenient to business. Call on Mrs.
C. F. Terrell at Wooten residence, '88
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STRAW HATS.

All Straw Hats1-3 off
d2t WEBB BROS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. LeFeber and
granddaughter, Katie Henry, were in
town yesterday from Tabor and call-
ed for sale—Two new visible Imperi-
al typewriters for \$35.00 each. Apply
at Eagle office. 189
W. S. Collard left yesterday af-
ternoon for Houston, where he joins his
wife for a month's visit at Norman-
gee.
Miss Fannie Walker of Montgom-
ery county is visiting at College, the
guest of her sister, Miss Mattie Wal-
ker.

CLOTHING.

Fancy and Serges1-3 off
d2t WEBB BROS.

William Yorzyski, electrical engi-
neer at the A. and M. College, left
yesterday for a few days' rest and
visit in Marlin.
The Ladies' Aid society of Rock
Prairie gave a benefit cream supper
Friday night, which was enjoyed by
a large attendance.
Hear Dr. Moore Monday night.
Steve Moss, George and Joe Wal-
ker, Hugh Seale, Bill Stallings, Ed
Elliott and O. L. Wilcox were here
from Tabor yesterday.
LADIES' CANVAS OXFORDS.
Your choice of \$1.50, \$1.75 and
\$2.00 Oxfords98c
d2t

E. M. Hood and wife of Denison re-
turned home yesterday after a pleas-
ant week's visit to the former's moth-
er, Mrs. R. P. Hood, here.

NOTICE—I have employed a first-
class allround tailor and am now in a
position to do any and all kinds of
tailoring. E. L. Beard. 188
J. W. Crause left yesterday to re-
sume his regular duties as fireman
on the I. & G. N. out of Mart. Mr.
Crause had been placed here tem-
porarily as hostler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dunn depart-
ed yesterday for Mart, where they
will take up their permanent re-
sidence. Mr. Dunn having accepted the
position of superintendent of the In-
dustrial Oil company's gin there.

T. E. Lord, engineer of the I. & G.
N. local, left yesterday for Mart after
a week's recreative sojourn in Bryan
and vicinity. In company with a num-
ber of local convivial spirits, Mr.
Lord enjoyed several days of pisci-
cultural sport on the Navasota river,
during which he acquired a healthy
tan not obtainable in an engine cab
and a full repertoire of fish stories
ed on the Eagle.

Misses W. F. and T. G. Evans, who
attended the illness and death of their
brother, the late J. T. Evans, in Bry-
an, left yesterday for their respective
homes in Cottrell county and San
Angelo.

Mrs. M. B. Smith, accompanied by
little Misses Anna Marcia Barrow and
Martha Goodwin, of Kilgore, was an
arrival in Bryan yesterday afternoon
on a visit to her mother, Mrs. A. M.
Berryman.

Notice—If you want first class tail-
oring, I have the man that can do it;
also cleaning and pressing. Union
Tailor Shop, E. L. Beard, Prop. d191
Byron Gleich of Hempstead is now
with The Eagle.

ARTESIAN WELL FOR FOUNTAIN FARM.

A depth of 600 feet has been re-
ached in the artesian well being sunk on
the Fountain plantation in the river
bottom, and until a short time ago
no impediment to the progress of the
work was encountered. Now, how-
ever, a hard layer of rock retards the
drill and in one day only about five
inches of the stone was penetrated.
Nevertheless, the interested parties
are determined to push the work to
completion, and the difficulty is be-
lieved to be only a matter of a slight
delay.

NO TROUBLE IN PANAMA.

Panama, July 11.—Present indica-
tions are that the election of presi-
dential electors tomorrow will take
place in an orderly manner. At the
same time the authorities are pre-
pared to promptly suppress any dis-
orderly demonstrations. A victory for
Domingo Obaldia, the independent
candidate for the presidency of the
Republic, seems assured. The electors
chosen tomorrow will meet August 1
to elect the president.

LADIES' SKIRTS.
\$12.50 Voile Skirts\$6.95
\$10.00 Voile Skirts\$6.85
\$8.50 Panama Skirts\$5.25
\$5.00 Panama Skirts\$3.75
d2t WEBB BROS.

DEATH OF MRS. HORACE THUR- MAN.

Accompanied by a number of sor-
rowing relatives and friends the re-
mains of Mrs. Horace Thurman
reached Bryan yesterday afternoon
over the Central from Fort Worth,
where death occurred Friday after-
noon.

In the evening the body was con-
veyed to the Edge settlement about
twenty miles northwest of here where
interment will be observed in the
burying grounds of the community
this morning.

Death resulted from tuberculosis at
Fort Worth, which has been the place
of residence of the family since re-
moval from Brazos county several
years ago.

The deceased was thirty-five years
of age and survived by the husband,
four children and other relatives,
some of the latter residing at Edge.

She was raised in Brazos county
and possessed a large circle of friends
of her earlier life in the county, who
will learn of her demise with deep sor-
row.

BOYS', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S CANVAS OXFORDS.

All 75c and 85c Canvas Oxfords...50c
All \$1.00 and \$1.25 Canvas Oxfords, 75c
d2t WEBB BROS.

OPERA HOUSE BOOKINGS.

In view of the approaching theat-
rical season Manager Jno. B. Mike of
the Bryan Opera house has already
begun negotiations for the booking of
a number of high class attractions to
the end of presenting a meritorious cal-
endar of histrionic entertainments to
the public. While his plans in this
connection are yet in the elementary
state he expects to secure the Allen
Comic Opera Company, now playing
Houston, for the initial week of the
season, which he will in all proba-
bility open on the first of September.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school and Epworth League
at the usual hours. Preaching by the
pastor at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sub-
ject for the morning: "God's Great
Commission and God's Great Promise."
At night, the continuation of
the sermon on the mode of baptism,
begun last Sunday evening. The spe-
cial topic for the discussion this hour
will be: "The Baptism of Jesus
Christ; its how and why." These ser-
mons are being preached on a high,
dignified Christian plane, and nobody
need fear that their feelings will be
offended. If you can hear an honest,
open discussion of a proposition,
without prejudice and passion, you
are urged to hear this sermon. The
church is pleasant and the seats are
free to all. Come thou with us and
we will do thee good. Mrs. Webb
Howell will sing at 11 a. m.
J. B. TURRENTINE, Pastor.

ELKS ARRIVING AT DALLAS.

Dallas, Tex., July 11.—Evidence is
to be seen at every turn in Dallas to-
day that the great national conven-
tion and reunion of Elks is at hand.
Although the grand lodge does not be-
gin its sessions until Monday, an es-
timated attendance of twenty-five
thousand visitors is already here. The
local stations report that the arrivals
today will break the record. The Dal-
las Elks doing escort duty are having
a hot time. While many diversions
are furnished the visitors, the dele-
gates are already engaged in a live-
ly contest for the election of officers
and the selection of a place for next
year's convention. Los Angeles is one
of the early bidders for the 1909 re-
union, but there is abundant evidence
that she will have several strong riv-
als.

The grand lodge will be opened in
the great auditorium at the Fair
Grounds with a musical program and
addresses, and an elaborate entertain-
ment in the afternoon and evening.
The big parade comes on Friday.
While the delegates are engaged in
their sessions, many entertainments
have been arranged for other visiting
Elks and their ladies.

TAFT MAY SPEAK IN TEXAS.

So Says Col. Lyon—Chas. W. Ogden
May Run for Governor.

San Antonio, Tex., July 11.—An-
nouncement has been made by Col.
Cecil Lyon, the head of the Republi-
can party in Texas, that Secretary
Taft has promised to make a number
of speeches in Texas between now
and election time in the interest of
the Texas Republican ticket. It is
also generally admitted that Chas. W.
Ogden of San Antonio, one of the
leading attorneys of the State, will
be the Texas nominee for governor.
There is wide-spread displeasure in
the State towards the Campbell ad-
ministration and already a Democrat,
known as honest Bob Williams, the
village blacksmith, is contesting with
Gov. Campbell for the Democratic
nomination for re-election. The Re-
publicans believe that this will breed
enough faction to make possible the
election of a strong man like Mr.
Ogden.

SOCIAL AND CLUB MATTERS.

Mrs. R. O. Allen was hostess to the
Week End Club Friday afternoon
from 5:30 to 7 o'clock. Tables for
forty-two were arranged under the
oak trees on the lawn, and the score
cards were hand-painted oak leaves.
A merry party of ladies were pres-
ent and thoroughly enjoyed the games
and the thoughtful hospitality of the
hostess. Oleanders and pot plants
added to other attractions of the
ideal environment, all being in most
artistic harmony. The usual com-
pletement of games was followed by
a salad course and ice tea.

Mrs. J. B. Turrentine entertained
her Sunday school class of young la-
dies at her home on Friday afternoon
at five o'clock. The dainty reception
suite was fresh with exquisite flowers.
A penny game was the diversion of
the afternoon. At the close of the
contest, Miss Nannie Lou Betts was
awarded the prize, a beautiful box of
stationery. The consolation, a box
of candy, was given Miss Lucile Har-
rison. A feature of the jolly after-
noon was the dainty refreshment
course.

Wednesday evening Miss Laura
James entertained ten couples of
young people most pleasantly at the
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
W. T. James. In a pleasing contest
a picture was awarded to Miss Ethel
Foster. Peach cream and cake com-
prised the refreshment course.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Law, Mr. and
Mrs. J. Webb Howell and Mr. and
Mrs. T. K. Lawrence spent a pleasant
evening on the beautiful oak-shaded
lawn Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A.
McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. Milton
Sims, Jr. The cool breezes, the moon-
light and a rare collection of records
on the phonograph made the occasion
exceedingly pleasant. Peach ice
cream and cake comprised the re-
freshment course.

Miss Sara Allen has gone to Pales-
tine to participate in the pleasures of
a house party given by Miss Elizabeth
Wright.

The J. U. G. Club met Thursday
afternoon with Miss Mary James.
Miss Fila Adams was successful in
winning a box of candy in a button-
sewing contest. Miss Ruth Boat-
wright was consoled with a paper of
needles and a spool of thread. Games
on the well kept lawn followed and
the pleasures of the afternoon were
completed with the serving of cream
and cake. Miss Mary is a popular
hostess and the meetings with her
are looked forward to with pleasure.
The next meeting of the club will be
held with Miss Dorcas Parker.

Young men on the campus at the
A. and M. College arranged a pleas-
ant dance one evening the past week
as a feature of the Farmers Congress
not on the regular program. These
dances have been given regularly
each year for several years past dur-
ing the sessions of the congress, and
was much enjoyed by many of the
visitors.

The next meeting of the Week End
Club will be held on Friday with Mrs.
H. O. Boatwright, in honor of Mrs. F.
M. Law.

d2t WEBB BROS.
LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILD-
REN'S OXFORDS.
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quor dealers, etc. Let us make your
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EXCITEMENT AT CHURCH SER- VICES.

Leon Lang Lost Span of Fine Horses.
Congregation Shocked.

Zulch, Madison County, Tex., July
9.—Bryan Eagle: About five minutes
after the close of our yesterday's ser-
vices at Willow Hole Free Baptist
church, and while the congregation
were still having a social time under
the tent, a stroke of lightning struck
a tree just fourteen steps from the
tent. Mr. Leon Lang brought his
family to church in a wagon, and it
so happened that he stopped his team
in the shade of and with heads near
to this tree.

The lightning peeled the bark down
one side of the tree and both horses
were instantly killed. One was a
mule, well worth a hundred and fifty
dollars; the other a horse, that could
have been sold for a hundred.

At the close of the service, two lit-
tle boys, ages four and six, crawled
up in the wagon. They were stunned
and received a terrible shock, but
after an hour or so were all right
again.

The entire congregation was con-
siderably shocked and excitement ran
high for awhile.

Mr. Lang is one of the best citizens
of the country, and his many friends
believe in helping him to bear his
burdens and are circulating subscrip-
tion lists to help him to pay for an-
other team.

Yours, etc.,
TOM SEARCY.

LADIES' SILK GLOVES.

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All 12 and 16 button \$1.00 Gloves...65c
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IN DARKEST AFRICA.

(When they heard the shouting for
Bryan at Denver.)

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noise? Is it the Strenuous One com-
ing to get us?"

"The Hippopotamus—"No; it's the
Man of Destiny who is going after
the Strenuous One. And he'll get him
too."

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mer fancies and the old
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If you have a headache, it's blood pressure. If it's painful periods with women, same cause. If you are sleepless, restless, nervous, it's blood congestion—blood pressure. That surely is a certainty, for Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets stop it in 20 minutes, and the tablets simply distribute the unnatural blood pressure.

Bruse your finger, and doesn't it get red, and swell, and pain you? Of course it does. It's congestion, blood pressure. You'll find it where pain is—always. It's simply Common Sense.

We sell at 25 cents, and cheerfully recommend

Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets

BOY BURIED IN GARBAGE

Corpse of Unfortunate Youth Is Found Four Feet Deep.

SEVERAL BUMPS ON HEAD

Remains of the Lad About to Be Put Into One of the Large Bins of the Furnace in the Sanitary Reduction Works at San Francisco.

San Francisco, July 11.—While employe of the sanitary reduction works were about to empty one of the large bins into the furnace they found the body of John Buchnoff, a fourteen year old boy, buried in four feet of garbage.

The condition of the body and circumstances surrounding the case led the police to believe the youth was murdered. A number of detectives are making a thorough investigation.

Buchnoff was the son of Feodor Buchnoff, a Russian laborer residing, about ten blocks from the reduction works. According to the father, the boy was last seen alive when he went home to lunch Friday.

At the morgue it was found there were several bumps on the boy's head as well as a cut over the right ear.

TEN PER CENT ADVANCE.

Storey Says Commission Has Not Been Officially Advised.

Austin, July 11.—Regarding the report that the railroads had decided on an advance of 10 per cent on interstate freight rates, Railroad Commissioner Storey, the only member of the commission, here Saturday, said that the commission had not been officially advised, but has received several letters from railroad men on the subject. The commissioner said the Texas commission, of course, could not do anything with inter-state rates, but if rates are found too high, a protest will be sent to the inter-state commerce commission against the advance. He added, however, that according to recent earnings of railroads in Texas it is apparent they are entitled to an advance in rates.

Mayor In Monastery.

Dubuque, Ia., July 11.—Mayor H. A. Schunk, who disappeared recently, has been found in the Trappist monastery, eighteen miles from here. Troubles in legal and political affairs are assigned as the cause for official's desire to shun the world. It is stated he is following out the rigid discipline of the monks and attending strictly to devotions prescribed by the order. There was much speculation as to the whereabouts of the mayor. When the fact that he had gone to the monastery became known it was recalled he had been complaining of ill health of late.

Bought by Mrs. Sage.

New York, July 11.—A new way to settle the race track question has been discovered by Mrs. Russell Sage. She has bought the old forty-two acre track and athletic field about a mile from the center of the village of Sag Harbor, L. I., and has presented it to the village as a playground and athletic field for the school children. It is understood that Mrs. Sage paid \$5,000 for the tract.

Gasoline's Awful Work.

Dallas, July 11.—By the explosion of a gasoline tank, the residence of a Mr. Welch was destroyed, together with two others. Harry Welch, five years old, was fatally burned. Jimmie Welch, his brother, three years old, was badly burned about the hands and feet. Their mother, in endeavoring to extinguish the flames, received painful injuries. Two little girls, sisters, named Hamill, were also hurt.

Also Shipments by Boats.

Fort Worth, July 11.—It is announced that not only will freight rates on all shipments to Texas will be increased Aug. 10, but similar raise be placed on all shipments by boat. This is learned from a dispatch received from the Morgan line.

Free For All Fight.

Fort Worth, July 11.—The recent newsboys' strike here resulted in a free for all fight in front of the Worth Hotel. During the quarrel one carrier hit another and all joined. The boys did not hesitate to attack the men when they interfered. Five boys were arrested.

Elaborate Entertainment.

Tokio, July 11.—Yokohama municipality voted 16,000 yen to cover the expenses of the entertainment to be given to officers and men of the American fleet while they were in that city. A reception committee of fifteen, which includes the mayor, has been organized.

Another Arrest.

Palestine, Tex., July 11.—Another arrest in the case wherein three white men are charged with enticing a young white girl away from the passenger station, a few nights ago, and mistreating her, was made. All three men are now in jail.

Nearly Reached Century Mark.

Palestine, Tex., July 11.—George H. McKay, ninety-nine years old, Anderson county's oldest citizen, died Saturday.

Two Blocks Burn.

Grand Forks, B. C., July 11.—Fire destroyed two blocks, half the main business portion of this city. Loss is \$300,000, with 25 per cent insurance. One man was killed and another is missing.

American Team Wins.

Bisley, July 11.—The American team won the international shooting match.

Didn't Give Him a Chance.

"Say, ma," piped up little Johnny after the minister had finished his call and taken his departure, "when Mr. Meeker was here every time you stopped talkin' a minute he would start in to say somethin' an' git as fur every time as 'I dare say,' an' then you would start goin' ag'in an' talk a lot more, an' that is the way it kept on right along, an' the only thing he said all the time he was here was 'I dare say,' 'I dare say,' every few minutes."

"Well, what of it? I am not to blame for Mr. Meeker's paucity of ideas, am I?" demanded Johnny's mother, somewhat impatiently.

"I dunno 'bout that," said Johnny doubtfully, as if not exactly sure what was meant by paucity of ideas, "but anyhow, ma, you orter give him a chanst. When he started in with 'I dare say,' why didn't you keep quiet jest once, ma, an' let him go ahead an' say what he was goin' to an' have it over with?"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

A Chapel on a Bridge.

At St. Ives, the little old Huntingdonshire town in which Oliver Cromwell lived for several years, there is a bridge spanning the lazily flowing Ouse, and on this bridge is a quaint building which at one time did duty as a chapel. The structure has been in existence for something like 500 years and was, according to local historians, originally employed as a beacon light-house. After that it was turned for a time into a hostel and eventually became an ordinary dwelling house. Some of the rooms in this curious building are below the level of the water in the river.

His Sorrow.

"You know that box of cigars you gave me on my birthday, dear?" said a man to his wife.

"Yes."

"Well, I took them down to the office, and some one stole them."

"I'm awfully sorry."

"So am I—for the thief!" was the cruel remark.

An Outsider.

Suitor—Your daughter, sir—well, er—that is—she told me to come to you—she says you— Pater—Quite so—I understand. Let's see, are you Mr. Bronson or Mr. Wibbles? Suitor—Why, I'm Mr. Hotchkiss!—Cleveland Leader.

Her Odd Way.

Giles—My wife is a queer woman. Miles—Indeed! Giles—Yes. Why, when she has occasion to drive a tack she uses a hammer instead of a hair-brush.—Chicago News.

Sorrow's crown of sorrow is remembering happier things.—Tennyson.

Editor Drowns.

Brady, Tex., July 11.—In attempting to cross the San Saba river Paul Wright, editor of the Brady Star, was drowned.

Avenue to Be Paved.

Memphis, July 11.—At cost of \$166,000 Madison avenue will be paved.

Takes Carbolic Acid.

Memphis, July 11.—Mrs. Vernon Sharp suicided with carbolic acid.

An Ordinance Entitled on and Regulating Running at Large of Dogs.

Be It Ordained by City Council, City of Bryan:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog to permit such dog to run at large within the corporate limits of the city of Bryan during the months of June, July and August unless such dog shall have on a muzzle sufficient to keep said dog from biting.

Sec. 2. That any person violating the preceding article of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not less than one nor more than one hundred dollars; providing, however, that city attorney may dismiss prosecution against person for violating this ordinance upon their payment of their impounding fee hereinafter allowed the city marshal and costs of such prosecution.

Sec. 3. That it shall be the duty of the city marshal or some one deputized by him to take up and impound all dogs found running at large in violation of this ordinance, and safely keep such dog for a period of forty-eight hours, and use diligence to ascertain the owner of same. If owner of such dog cannot be ascertained, and no person appears and claims such dog and pays the impounding fee, within forty-eight hours after such dog is so impounded, then it shall be presumed that such dog is of no value to the owner, and it shall be the duty of the city marshal or some one appointed for the purpose, to kill such dog in a manner deemed most practical.

Sec. 4. For every dog impounded the city-marshal shall be entitled to an impounding fee of one dollar, to be paid by the owner of such dog impounded, and the further sum of twenty-five cents for every dog killed in compliance with this ordinance; and all fees collected by the marshal are to be applied by him to the payment of expenses incurred in taking up and impounding such dog.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect at once after publication.

J. T. MALONEY, Mayor.
FRANK CLARKE, Secretary.
Bryan, Texas, July 10, 1908. d196

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